



**DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
Veterans Benefits Administration
Education Service
Washington, D.C. 20420**

May 3, 2023

Stacey A. Martinson, P.C.
Miller Nash LLP
111 SW Fifth Ave., Ste 3400
Portland, OR 97204

Re: Withdrawal of Decisions on Flight School Tuition Payments

Ms. Martinson,

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) hereby notifies Portland Community College (PCC) that the decisions in the attached list of letters (the “Letters”) finding PCC owes VA approximately \$6 million for overpayments of Post 9/11 GI Bill benefits have been withdrawn.

VA withdraws these decisions pursuant to a policy change on when the School Liability Process, provided for at 38 C.F.R. § 21.9695 and set out at 38 C.F.R. § 21.4009, applies. Under VA’s new policy, PCC can only be liable for the tuition overpayments upon a finding of liability via the School Liability Process. Because PCC did not receive the requisite process, the Letters are withdrawn, and VA likewise withdraws all subsequent letters notifying PCC that it is liable for the amounts identified in the Letters. This withdrawal is not meant to preclude VA’s ability and discretion to make a liability finding if and when the School Liability Process is undertaken with regard to the approximately \$6 million in tuition and fee overpayments under the Post 9/11 GI Bill.

If you have any questions about VA’s withdrawal of the Letters or change in policy on when the School Liability Process applies, please contact Michelle Bernstein at (202) 461 4940.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "James Ruhlman".

James Ruhlman
Deputy Director, Program Management
Education Service

Attachment

STUDENT NAME (ABBR)	T&F DEBT	DATE OF DEBT LETTER
RAGO	\$39,607.40	5/22/2018
LAND	\$37,915.60	5/22/2018
JAPP	\$10,030.10	5/22/2018
RARN	\$16,447.10	5/22/2018
KASH	\$114,924.18	5/23/2018
LAYE	\$58,630.60	5/23/2018
TBAR	\$32,260.00	05/23/2018 & 08/07/2018
ABAR	\$14,859.40	5/23/2018
SBIN	\$589.40	5/23/2018
MBRE	\$79,795.34	5/24/2018
LBROD	\$27,713.95	5/29/2018
EBRO	\$35,593.20	5/29/2018
BBUL	\$91,908.86	5/29/2018
BBUR	\$4,007.40	5/29/2018
JCAM	\$28,041.50	5/29/2018
MCAS	\$16,861.30	6/1/2018
JCHA	\$59,756.28	6/1/2018
MCHE	\$14,207.50	6/21/2018
GCHR	\$33,357.39	6/1/2018
CCLE	\$34,046.20	6/1/2018
MCOL	\$26,190.73	6/1/2018
CCON	\$14,058.78	6/1/2018
ACOO	\$22,987.60	6/8/2018
JCUS	\$5,769.70	6/4/2018
RDEA	\$255.00	6/4/2018
CDEB	\$49,838.22	6/4/2018
TDEE	\$13,769.06	6/26/2018
KDER	\$22,046.61	6/5/2018
ADIX	\$664.20	6/27/2018
QDOA	\$15,839.47	6/5/2018
ADOA	\$16,226.49	6/27/2018
MDOU	\$28,698.10	6/5/2018
SFEE	\$39,126.64	6/5/2018
NFIE	\$18,224.30	6/6/2018
DFIS	\$29,959.44	6/6/2018
MFIS	\$42,679.13	6/6/2018
BFLE	\$14,898.50	6/6/2018
DFOR	\$60,433.08	6/6/2018
JFOR	\$62,850.66	6/26/2018
JFOW	\$62,961.05	6/8/2018
NGAH	\$32,803.00	06/08/2018 & 08/07/2018
LGAL	\$6,056.04	6/8/2018
LGAS	\$63,831.16	6/8/2018
MGIG	\$12,979.60	6/8/2018
JGOE	\$22,907.32	6/8/2018

AGON	\$27,816.60	6/26/2018
MGRA	\$18,275.20	5/21/2018
JHAA	\$14,779.58	6/11/2018
CHAL	\$2,298.60	6/11/2018
JHAR	\$15,916.00	6/11/2018
WHAY	\$12,345.50	6/11/2018
RHEN	\$35,636.99	6/12/2018
CHER	\$28,694.50	6/12/2018
CHLE	\$92,000.36	6/13/2018
CHOL	\$114.70	6/13/2018
MHOP	\$14,376.00	6/14/2018
AHOP	\$34,342.83	6/14/2018
AHOU	\$26,336.22	6/27/2018
JHUA	\$81,327.40	6/14/2018
RHUS	\$16,694.75	6/28/2018
NHUS	\$14,727.40	6/15/2018
MHUS	\$536.50	6/27/2018
EIRO	\$18,464.50	6/15/2018
DJAC	\$25,184.18	6/27/2018
RJAM	\$15,826.90	6/15/2018
WJAM	\$53,194.70	6/18/2018
DJAZ	\$26,003.95	6/18/2018
BJEF	\$16,585.20	6/19/2018
AJOH	\$50,453.36	6/19/2018
RJOH	\$109,939.99	6/19/2018
JJOR	\$28,239.80	6/20/2018
CKAR	\$33,318.11	6/20/2018
JKEN	\$79,954.21	6/20/2018
TKEN	\$42,935.16	6/20/2018
AKER	\$63,224.31	6/20/2018
CKER	\$30,560.61	6/20/2018
JKNO	\$63,587.10	6/20/2018
MKRU	\$17,877.99	6/21/2018
DLEF	\$16,456.80	6/27/2018
RLIN	\$49,485.61	6/25/2018
RLIP	\$4,259.20	6/28/2018
ALOE	\$11,004.10	6/25/2018
IMAC	\$50,401.90	6/25/2018
JMAC	\$36,652.60	6/28/2018
EMAN	\$17,546.38	6/25/2018
WMAR	\$26,291.63	No RPO Letter Found
MMAR	\$37,616.16	6/27/2018
PMAS	\$34,428.20	6/25/2018
DMAT	\$36,855.30	6/27/2018
LMAY	\$16,446.50	6/27/2018
KMCF	\$36,464.50	6/26/2018
SMCG	\$35,394.21	6/26/2018

SMCL	\$21,148.46	6/25/2018
KMEY	\$4,881.90	6/25/2018
MMIC	\$929.80	6/25/2018
MMIK	\$68,813.49	6/25/2018
KMIL	\$100,803.90	6/26/2018
RMOO	\$15,479.18	6/26/2018
JMOR	\$14,868.25	6/28/2018
CMORE	\$61,768.80	6/26/2018
CMORN	\$16,446.50	6/25/2018
NNEW	\$16,446.50	6/25/2018
JNIC	\$107,863.86	6/25/2018
JOCH	\$6,077.23	6/25/2018
AOKA	\$21,476.89	6/22/2018
GOLS	\$28,724.50	6/22/2018
MPAN	\$22,825.30	6/20/2018
MPAS	\$21,291.10	6/20/2018
SPAT	\$45,687.30	6/20/2018
DPFI	\$16,446.50	6/20/2018
TPIL	\$11,127.10	6/20/2018
GPOZ	\$61,878.31	6/20/2018
YPRI	\$42,186.99	6/20/2018
JQUI	\$11,859.45	6/14/2018
BRAN	\$43,148.00	6/14/2018
KREI	\$18,452.50	6/14/2018
JRIC	\$19,638.50	6/15/2018
ERIG	\$14,929.90	6/15/2018
DRIL	\$26,811.18	6/15/2018
SROB	\$44,345.60	6/18/2018
WROB	\$18,308.84	6/19/2018
MROC	\$83,347.44	6/19/2018
DSAN	\$4,487.60	6/28/2018
ASAP	\$28,109.00	6/19/2018
TSAV	\$89,952.30	6/19/2018
BSCH	\$106,029.06	6/19/2018
BSCH	\$42,870.26	6/20/2018
SSEN	\$18,290.60	6/20/2018
GSHE	\$97,409.02	6/8/2018
MSHO	\$14,505.53	6/8/2018
TSIB	\$20,671.80	6/8/2018
JSIM	\$1,636.40	6/8/2018
SSLI	\$18,452.50	6/8/2018
ASNE	\$58,948.84	6/8/2018
GSNY	\$46,556.38	6/11/2018
JSPR	\$44,064.54	6/11/2018
DSTA	\$18,831.75	6/11/2018
CSTE	\$52,972.14	6/12/2018
JSTJ	\$11,448.90	6/12/2018

MSTO	\$27,856.92	6/12/2018
MSUE	\$103,833.63	6/12/2018
JSUT	\$27,563.46	6/12/2018
NTEE	\$7,941.49	6/13/2018
JTEH	\$28,254.92	6/13/2018
ETER	\$28,724.50	6/6/2018
VTHO	\$26,768.60	6/6/2018
MTHO	\$1,470.20	6/13/2018
WTRO	\$15,652.80	6/6/2018
ITUB	\$92,606.23	6/5/2018
RUDI	\$16,539.17	6/5/2018
AUHR	\$24,333.05	6/5/2018
KVAN	\$16,446.50	6/5/2018
EVIN	\$108,070.77	6/5/2018
LWEE	\$16,686.10	6/4/2018
DWEE	\$11,912.70	6/6/2018
BWHI	\$114.70	6/4/2018
AWHI	\$91,842.76	6/1/2018
DWIL	\$37,762.20	5/25/2018
JWIL	\$48,475.17	5/30/2018
NWIS	\$23,960.76	5/24/2018
PYAN	\$91,765.53	5/24/2018
GYOR	\$45,452.15	5/24/2018
AYOU	\$17,384.30	5/24/2018
AYUR	\$40,404.19	5/23/2018
\$5,572,551.56		